

The Seven Deadly Sins
Why Do We Sin?
Genesis 3:1-13

Jeremiah 17:9 - The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately sick; who can understand it?

4 Stages of Sin:

- I. Unbelief: We do not want to believe God's word. 3:1-3**
 - 1. You cannot undo what God says. 3:1
 - 2. You cannot add to what God says. 3:2-3

- II. Idol Worship: We do not want to worship God alone. 3:4-5**
 - 1. You cannot trust another authority. 3:4
 - 2. You cannot long for another reality. 3:5

- III. Rebellion: We do not want to obey God's commands. 3:6-7**
 - 1. You cannot decide what is good. 3:6
 - 2. You cannot cover up what is evil. 3:7

- IV. Denial: We do not want to accept God's judgment. 3:8-13**
 - 1. You cannot hide from God's judgment. 3:8-10
 - 2. You cannot deflect God's judgment. 3:11-13